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Serial No. 09/943,193  
Applicants: Kenneth M. Riff et al.  
Filed: August 29, 2001  
Title: MEDICAL DEVICE SYSTEMS IMPLEMENTED NETWORK SCHEME  
FOR REMOTE PATIENT MANAGEMENT

Attached please find the following documents:

- X Response After Final
- X Transmittal

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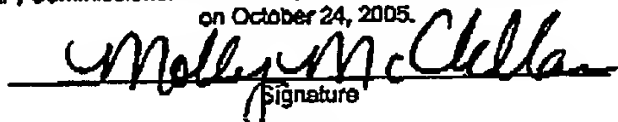
In re Application of: Riff et al.

For: MEDICAL DEVICE SYSTEMS IMPLEMENTED NETWORK SCHEME FOR REMOTE PATIENT MANAGEMENT  
MEDICAL DEVICE IN MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING DEVICE

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